

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

METROPOLITAN
WOODWORKING, INC.
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ARCHITECTURAL WOODWORK,
LLC., SPRINGFIELD OFFICE,
CORP. SPRINGFIELD WOOD
WORKSHIP, CORP.,
CONSTRUCTION MACHINE
DEVICES, LLC., AND DARREN
COMMANDER,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SHAWN M. LATOURETTE IN HIS
OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS
COMMISSIONER OF THE NEW
JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION;
AND MATTHEW PLATKIN IN HIS
OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PETER
MADAN

Defendants.

Civil Action

HON. CLAIRE C. CECCHI, U.S.D.J.


Civil Action No. 24-07483

CERTIFICATION OF DON HIRSCH
BUREAU CHIEF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION DIVISION OF WATER ENFORCEMENT

I, Don Hirsch, of full age, certify and say:

1. Based upon a review of Department records and knowledge of the underlying case, no one from the Department – Division of Water Enforcement visited the site in March 2024.
2. The Division of Water Enforcement did not request anyone else unaffiliated with the Department to visit the site in March 2024.

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

By: 
Don Hirsch
Bureau Chief
Division of Water Enforcement

Dated: July 31, 2025